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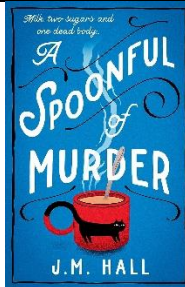


The Silent Bride by Shalini Boland

Alice and Seth are a perfect love story: the handsome doctor and his beautiful fiancée. They're wealthy, well liked and made for each other the envy of all their friends. Alice can't wait for the day of their dream wedding. But when she arrives at the altar, she doesn't recognise the man waiting to marry her.

When this stranger insists he's Seth, her husband-to-be, the entire congregation seems to agree. Even her parents try to persuade Alice to go through with the wedding.

As panic sets in, Alice's world comes apart. Where is the real Seth, and why have all traces of him disappeared from her life? Fearing she's losing her mind, she sets out to uncover the truth and escape the nightmare she's living in. But with everyone around her convinced by the fake Seth, how can she ever hope to find the man she loves?



A Spoonful of Murder by J.M. Hall

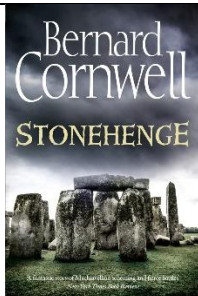
Every Thursday, three retired school teachers have their 'coffee o'clock' sessions at the Thirsk Garden Centre café.

But one fateful week, as they are catching up with a slice of cake, they bump into their ex-colleague, Topsy.

By the next Thursday, Topsy's dead.

The last thing Liz, Thelma and Pat imagined was that they would become involved in a murder.

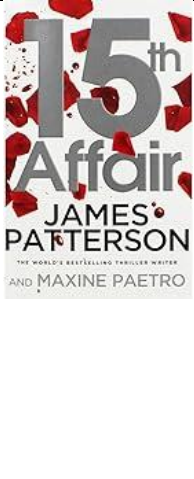
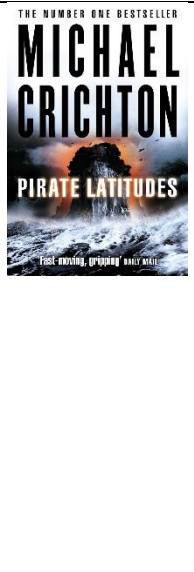
But they know there's more to Topsy's death than meets the eye – and it's down to them to prove it.

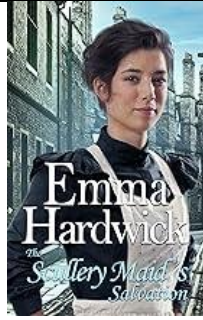


Stonehenge by Bernard Cornwell

One summer's day, a dying stranger carrying great wealth in gold comes to the settlement of Ratharryn.

The three sons of Ratharryn's chief each perceive the great gift in a different way. The eldest, Lengar, the warrior, harnesses his murderous ambition to be a ruler and take great power for his tribe. Camaban becomes a great visionary and feared wise man, and it is his vision that will force the youngest brother, Saban, to create the great temple on the green hill where the gods will appear on earth. Saban's love for Aureнна, the sun bride whose destiny is to die for the gods, finally brings the rivalries of the brothers to a head. But it is also his skills that will build the vast temple, a place for the gods, certainly, but also a place that will confirm for ever the supreme power of the tribe that built it.

	<p>Stonehenge is first and foremost a great historical novel. Bernard Cornwell is well known and admired for the realism and imagination with which he brings earlier worlds to life. And here he uses all these skills to recreate the world of primitive Britain and to solve the mysteries of who built Stonehenge, how and why.</p> <p>'A circle of chalk, a ring of stone, and a house of arches to call the far gods home'</p>
	<p><u>Traitors of Rome by Simon Scarrow</u></p> <p>AD 56. Battle-hardened veterans of the Roman army Tribune Cato and Centurion Macro are garrisoned at the eastern border, aware that their movements are constantly monitored by spies from dangerous, mysterious Parthia. But the enemy within could be the deadliest threat to the Legion and the Empire.</p> <p>There's a traitor in the ranks. Rome shows no mercy to those who betray their comrades, and the Empire. But first the guilty man must be discovered. Cato and Macro are in a race against time to expose the truth, while the powerful enemy over the border waits to exploit any weaknesses in the Legion. The traitor must die.</p>
	<p><u>15th Affair by James Patterson</u></p> <p>Four bodies are found in a luxury hotel. The first is a man who checked in under a false name. Two are in a room next door, full of surveillance equipment. And the fourth is the house maid, who saw too much.</p> <p>Detective Lindsay Boxer is sent in to investigate and hunt down an elusive and dangerous suspect. But when her husband Joe goes missing, she begins to fear that the suspect she is searching for could be him.</p> <p>As the case gets ever more complicated and personal, San Francisco is suddenly faced with an atrocity no one will ever forget.</p> <p>Sometimes secrets can be deadly.</p>
	<p><u>Pirate Latitudes by Michael Crichton</u></p> <p>Jamaica, in 1665 alone outpost of British power amid Spanish waters in the sun-baked Caribbean. Its capital, Port Royal, a cutthroat town of taverns, grog shops and bawdy houses – the last place imaginable from which to launch an unthinkable attack on a nearby Spanish stronghold. Yet that is exactly what renowned privateer Captain Charles Hunter plans to do, with the connivance of Charles II's ruling governor, Sir James Almont.</p> <p>The target is Matanceros, guarded by the bloodthirsty Cazalla, and considered impregnable with its gun emplacements and sheer cliffs. Hunter's crew of buccaneers must battle not only the Spanish fleet but other deadly perils, raging hurricanes, cannibal tribes, even sea monsters. But if his ragtag crew succeeds, they will make not only history but a fortune in gold.</p>



The Scullery Maid's Salvation by Emma Hardwick

In the grime-soaked streets of London's notorious East End, young Ebba wages a daily battle for survival. Forever neglected by her heartless parents, she braves the chilling uncertainty of the icy streets, escaping the torment of her so-called home.

Her life takes a turn when she's rescued from the brink of death by a compassionate local lad. Drawn to his kindness, unfamiliar feelings stir within as Ebba begins her new life as a maid at his parents' charity. Yet, even within these protective walls, the spectre of her selfish father looms again, threatening her peace. Just as she begins to settle, a fresh opportunity arises, but embracing it means leaving her newfound sanctuary and the lad whose kindness has thawed her heart.

Will Ebba find the strength to leave her new home and seize her destiny? Or will circumstances conspire to drag her back into the darkness she seeks to leave behind? And as she battles for her freedom, can her spark of love survive?



The Wrong Gentleman by Louise Bay

I'm an all-or-nothing man—100 percent focused on whatever has my attention.

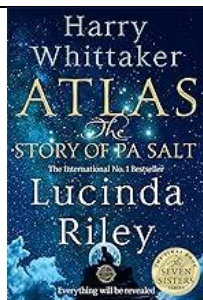
First it was serving my country in the Special Forces. Then it was building my business. Right now it's the hot blonde at the bar who's about to become another notch on my bedpost.

But women never keep my attention for more than a night.

Until I peel off Skylar Anderson's clothes and her mask starts to crumble, showing me glimpses of the girl she's hiding. She's funny, sexy and vulnerable and throws me out of bed before I can catch my breath and suggest breakfast.

When I start my last undercover job on a yacht, turns out, she's one of the crew. I try, but I can't look away.

I might want to go all in for Skylar, but she should stay away from me. I've got secrets of my own and they can only bring her trouble.

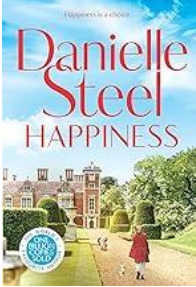
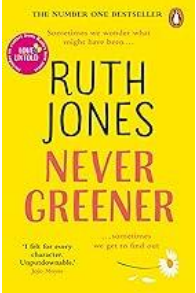
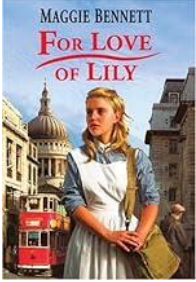


Atlas: The Story of Pa Salt by Lucinda Riley

1928, Paris. A boy is found, moments from death, and taken in by a kindly family. Gentle, precocious, talented, he flourishes in his new home, and the family show him a life he hadn't dreamed possible. But he refuses to speak a word about who he really is. As he grows into a young man, falling in love and taking classes at the prestigious Conservatoire de Paris, he can almost forget the terrors of his past, or the promise he has vowed to keep. But across Europe an evil is rising, and no-one's safety is certain. In his heart, he knows the time will come when he must flee once more.

2008, the Aegean. The seven sisters are gathered together for the first time, on board the Titan, to say a final goodbye to the enigmatic father they loved so dearly.

To the surprise of everyone, it is the missing sister who Pa Salt has chosen to entrust with the clue to their pasts. But for every truth revealed, another question emerges. The sisters must confront the idea that their adored father was someone they barely

	<p>knew. And even more shockingly: that these long-buried secrets may still have consequences for them today. In this epic conclusion to the Seven Sisters series, everything will be revealed.</p>
	<p><u>Happiness by Danielle Steel</u> After a dark and unhappy childhood and two failed marriages where love was rarely felt, bestselling thriller author Sabrina Brooks has finally found the life she's always craved. Her writing, her close circle of friends, and her beautiful home in the Massachusetts Berkshire Mountains with her two beloved dogs are all that she needs to be happy and at peace. However, Sabrina's perfect life is suddenly disrupted when she receives a mysterious letter informing her that she is now the sole heir to her recently deceased uncle's title and manor house in Hampshire. Determined to sell, Sabrina is forced to cross the Atlantic and see the property for herself. But Sabrina's visit to England takes a very different turn. She learns more about her family history and the secrets her father kept from her. She starts to fall in love with the breath taking beauty of the historic manor and its gardens. And she cannot help but enjoy the company of the devastatingly handsome but complicated lawyer who acts as her tour guide. As she discovers the rejuvenating power of love in all its forms, Sabrina must decide whether she is brave enough to gamble on her future and choose a different, more exciting path or return to the safe haven she thought she'd always wanted.</p>
	<p><u>Never Greener by Ruth Jones</u> The past has a habit of tracking us down. And tripping us up. When Kate was twenty-two, she had an intense and passionate affair with a married man, Callum, which ended in heartbreak. Kate thought she'd never get over it. Seventeen years later, life has moved on. Kate, now a successful actress, is living in London, married to Matt and mother to little Tallulah. Meanwhile Callum and his wife Belinda are happy together, living in Edinburgh and watching their kids grow up. The past, it would seem, is well and truly behind them all. But then Kate meets Callum again. And they are faced with a choice: to walk away from each other or to risk finding out what might have been. Second chances are a rare gift in life. But that doesn't mean they should always be taken.</p>
	<p><u>For Love of Lily by Maggie Bennett</u> Attractive, clever and wilful, Lily Knowles is desperate to leave home. So at twenty-one she escapes to London to train as a nurse, where she gathers many admirers, none more dashing than RAF officer Sandy Redfern, with whom she falls in love. But the coming of war, with the chaos of the Blitz, brings upheavals and unforeseen entanglements. On hearing of Sandy's reckless affair with a married woman, a heartbroken Lily throws herself into her work. Then further changes in circumstances bring her to a busy</p>

	<p>RAF hospital in Hampshire, where a faithful childhood sweetheart persuades her to become engaged to him. And then fate brings Sandy Redfern back into her life, physically scarred by burns and inwardly embittered. What of their once passionate love and her present commitment? Can the past ever be recaptured?</p>
	<p><u>Advanced Mathematics Book 1 by Perkins and Perkins</u></p> <p>This is the first of two books covering most single-subject advanced level Mathematics courses. It provides a complete first year course for two-year candidates and will also be suitable for subsidiary level Mathematics courses of various kinds. The two volumes together will provide a thorough treatment of the pure Mathematics and Mechanics required at this level, and also cover the options in Modern Algebra, Numerical Methods and Probability and statistics. Topics are presented in a logical sequence and are arranged in short chapters to allow flexibility. The text contains many worked examples and numerous exercises providing both routine practice and opportunities to develop understanding.</p>
	<p><u>The School for Good and Evil by Soman Chainani</u></p> <p>Two best friends have been chosen to be students at the fabled School for Good and Evil, where ordinary boys and girls are trained to be fairy-tale heroes and villains. One will train for Good, one will become Evil's new hope. Each thinks they know where they belong, but when they are swept into the Endless Woods, they're switched into the opposite schools. Together they'll discover who they really are and what they are capable of because the only way out of a fairy tale is to live through it.</p>
	<p><u>Top of the Class Nearly by Tom Gates</u></p> <p>The ninth amazing instalment of this brilliant series! TIPS FOR BEING TOP OF THE CLASS (Sadly...I did NONE of these things.)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Stay awake in lessons (it helps.) 2. Don't draw HILARIOUS pictures of your teachers. 3. AVOID the class bully to stay out of trouble. 4. Don't let Mum and Dad write ANYTHING in your school planner. 5. Don't let your grumpy sister Delia BOSS you around. (Technically not a school issue - but still important.) <p>I'm TRYING to get voted onto the school council as well - but thanks to the ABOVE list it's not exactly going to plan.</p>
	<p><u>Monster Animals by Gerald Legg</u></p> <p>Explore the monsters of the animal world from the huge gorilla to the deadly scorpion. Packed with fascinating facts, colourful illustrations and diagrams, this fantastic book is sure to teach you everything you need to know about monster animals. Perfect for children.</p>

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